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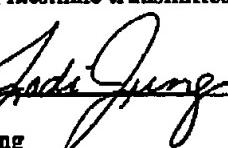
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 For: BLOOD PERFUSION SYSTEM

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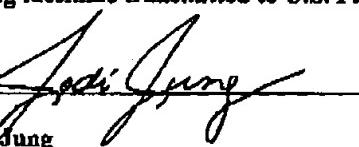
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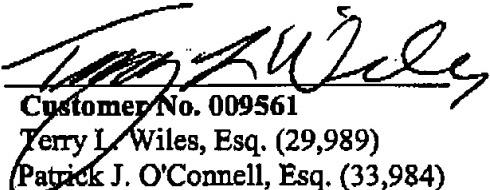
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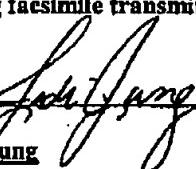
Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of August 11, 2004. Applicants respectfully submit that, with the following amendments and remarks, all claims of this application are in condition for allowance.

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